over, there will be a new Ministry, whatever the complexion of it may be. But I will feel satisfied, this Ministry will feel satisfied, apart from other administrative achievements to its credit, that so far as major political and constitutional issues are concerned, if before they lay down their office, they would have secured to this State exemption from article 371 and placed it on the same level as Part A States are placed under the Constitution. (Cheers and thumping of tables on the Congress benches). I am confident that that will happen; and if that does not happen, no man in the State of Mysore will be more disappointed than myself; and no one will feel more than this Ministry and my humble self that we have failed in our duty, that we have not succeeded in our attempts. So let us wait and see for some days more. And if during the next few days we do not succeed in having raised the status of Mysore to that of Part A States, it is open to the country and to our critics directly to condemn us in a forthright manner. But if, on the other hand, we succeed in our attempts, then, in spite of all this controversy, in spite of all the criticism, in spite of all these declarations, I hope there will be charity, goodwill, and fairmindedness to say that after all this Ministry has secured this exemption and let us congratulate them on their success. I hope that even though there may be difference of opinion in regard to this issue till then, the members of the Opposition will give this Ministry the deserved congratulations when what I am indicating now will happen. And I have said more than once that I am confident that it will happen.

This resolution says, Sir, that it is not satisfied with the statement made by me and that the action taken by the Government is not in accordance with the directive issued by the House. Sir, in one sense I welcome this motion having come up before this House and I welcome the debate that has taken place on this motion, because it gives an opportunity for the House to give its verdict on what has happened. If no debate had taken place, then it would not have been possible definitely to say as to what the reaction of this House has been on the attempts that have been made and to the formula that has been evolved.

Janab J. MOHAMED IMAM.—We know that you have a brute majority here.

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—If this resolution is going to be pressed to a division by the Hon'ble mover of the motion, and if it is passed, then it will mean practically a vote of no confidence in the Ministry. But if on the other hand, the motion is going to be rejected, then by implication, the definite opinion of this House will be that the House is satisfied with what has been done, that the attempts that have been made are in accordance with the directive issued by this House and that what has been done has resulted in securing the dignity and prestige of Mysore.

Janab J. MOHAMED IMAM.—I press the Motion, Sir.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is:

"That this House is of opinion that the statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister today is not satisfactory and the action taken by the Government is not in accordance with the directive issued by the House."

The motion was negatived.

(**A VOICE.**—What about taking down the names?)

Janab J. MOHAMED IMAM.—It is quality that counts not quantity!

The Mysore Inam Villages (Inam Tenure Abolition) Bill, 1951.

Mr. SPEAKER.—What do the Government propose to do with the Inam Tenure Abolition Bill?

***The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.**—Sir, it was our desire to complete the discussion on the Inam Tenure Abolition Bill and to place it on the statute book. The Government was very anxious to have it done during this Session itself. But since many of the Hon'ble Members are very eager to to go to their respective constituencies

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to file their nomination papers, etc., in connection with the general elections, much against our will, we are obliged to postpone consideration of the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill and have it enacted. We propose therefore to take it up at the next session of this Assembly. The General Elections will be over by about the end of January and it is not likely that the new Legislature would begin to function before the end of February or March. There may be some interval in which this Assembly may meet again for a week or so. So it is the idea of the Government to take up this Bill at an adjourned meeting of the Assembly.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The House now stands adjourned *sine die.*

The Assembly was adjourned sine die *at Twenty Minutes past Eight of the Clock on Tuesday, 13th November* 1951.

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